AWARD NO. 87 CASE NO. 165

SSW File 53-631

SPECIAL BOARD OF ADJUSTMENT NO. 280

PARTIES) Brotherhood of Maintenance of Way Employees

TO

and

DISPUTE) St. Louis Southwestern Railway Company

STATEMENT OF CLAIM:

"Request that former Extra Gang Laborers Edward Walker and U. E. Ruff be returned to service."

FINDINGS:

An analysis of the record including the various correspondence relative to investigation and hearing clearly shows that Carrier's action in this dispute was warranted.

AWARD: Request is denied.

licholas H. Zumas, Neutral Member

M. L. Erwin, Carrier Member

A. J/Cunningham, Employee Member